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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, OCTOBER 6, 2000

APPLICATION OF

CASE NOS. PUC960134
VERIZON SOUTH INC. f/k/a PUC970071
GTE SOUTH INCORPORATED PUC970072
PUC980098
Annual Informational Filings PUC990121
PUC000192

ORDER GRANTING STAFF'S MOTION FOR FURTHER EXTENSION OF PROCEDURAL DATES

By prior Order dated September 28, 2000, we granted Verizon South Inc. an extension of time through and including October 5, 2000, within which to file any revised proposed settlement or, alternatively, its response to the Staff Reports filed herein.

On October 4, 2000, the Staff of the Commission filed its Motion requesting a further extension of one week to the procedural dates extended in the Commission's Order of September 28, 2000. The Commission finds that Staff's Motion should be granted.

Accordingly, IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Verizon South Inc. is hereby granted through and including Thursday, October 12, 2000, within which to file its revised proposed settlement or, alternatively, its response to the Staff Reports filed herein.
 - (2) These cases are continued generally.